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PRESIDENT JOHNSON, appearing before a joint session of congress, asked the nation's lawmakers to adopt the program of his predecessor, the assassinated John F. Kennedy. The new president urged congress for speedy approval of the administration's tax cut bill and the civil right bills, which held high priority in Kennedy's program.

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When two fatal bullets struck President Kennedy in Dallas last Friday, Mrs. Jacqueline Kennedy, seated next to the president, cried out, "Oh, my God, they've killed my husband! Jack! Jack!" This eyewitness account was given by Texas Gov. John Connally from his hospital bed. Connally, who with his wife was riding in the Kennedy car, is recuperating from a serious bullet wound suffered in the attack that killed President Kennedy.

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The entire 244 member local of the Grain Workers union was threatened by a federal judge in Chicago with jail unless it pays \$41,300 in fines levied for refusing a previous court order to load a Canadian grain ship. Judge James Parsons gave the union until Dec. 28 to pay the fines or post equivalent bond.